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## Imperial Oil Co. to Use Large Rotary Rig in Irma Field

The largest Rotary Rig in Canada will soon be working in the Irma Oil Field. Four car-loads of machinery have been shipped to Fabyan for use on the new oil well being drilled by the Imperial Oil Company. This rig will require a derrick over one hundred feet high and when installed will be the largest and best equipped oil rig in Western Canada. Mr. J. F. Dawson who is in charge of the new camp has the bunk houses, cook house, office and machine house erected and a car load of heavy timbers are on the location ready for the rig builders to start erecting the derrick. The new location is less than a mile from the siding at Fabyan so no delay should be caused in unloading the heavy machinery. A new road has been made from the Main road to the location which overlooks the Battle River Valley. A spring at the foot of the hill will give an ample supply of water for the big boilers and hydraulic pumps.

### OIL NEWS FROM MONITOR NEWS

Work at the West Regent Well is being rushed along both night and day, two shifts keeping the rig busy every minute. They are now down about 2,400 feet and the present indications are very bright. Preparations are being made to continue the drilling on into the winter months with the hopes of hitting a flow before many more weeks go past.

After experiencing some trouble with their casing the Imperial crew are grinding away again and have reached a depth of about 1700 feet. The drilling will be continued all winter.

The Mud Buttes Oil Co. is gradually whipping things into shape, and will also be on the job throughout the winter.

### ROYAL DUTCH SHELL COMPANY REPORTED TO BE MAKING HEAVY FILINGS

Grande Prairie, Alta. Oct. 15th—Great activity in oil lands has been experienced locally in the past few days. Saturday a deal involving one thousand acres in the northern part of the field was closed by a Vancouver concern, a local man, Fred Roberts, being the vendor and receiving $2500 in cash payment. The deal has been pending a geological inspection, and the identity of the purchasers is kept a secret. A lot of geological work has been going on in the unsurveyed territory to the south, and a survey party is now at work. To date it has staked over a township, some of which was recorded in the land office a few days ago. Rumor connects the Royal Dutch Shell with this party.

A metal cap apparatus and considerable equipment arrived here by express this morning and is being freighted to Pouce Coupe. It weighs between 1100 and 1600 pounds. About a thousand feet of heavy casing is in the yards here.

## LOCAL NEWS

The Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. G. A. Tripp.

Mr. O. McMurray is renewing acquaintances in the Irma district.

Mrs. A. Littlechild, of Edmonton, was a visitor in Irma last week.

Mrs. F. Peterson and her three granddaughters are visiting her daughter Mrs. H. Bouck at Heath.

Mrs. L. Brown and Mrs. J. Johnston relatives of Mrs. J. H. Peterson were visiting last week from Sterlingville, Alta.

Mr. P. Floren is holding an auction sale on next Friday when he intends selling all his horses, cattle, farm implements, furniture, etc. See display ad for complete list.

Last Friday Mr. T. Coultman received word from Ontario that Mrs. Coultman's health was not improving since she went to Ontario. He left on the next train for the East and expects to be away for some time.

The Womens Missionary Society met at Mrs. J. W. Graydon's Thursday afternoon when twenty four ladies attended and a very interesting meeting was held. The next meeting will be at Mrs. Elliott's at the Parsonage.

### POPULAR FALLACY EXPLODED.

**Advertising Cost of $100 Worth of Clothes but $2.07, Survey in Chicago Shows.**

The plaint of many persons for years that if a store didn't spend so much for advertising "the cost of that suit of clothes would be about half what it was" is proved to be wholly false by Prof. Horace Secrist director of the bureau of business research of Northwestern University, who has just finished an elaborate survey of the retail clothing trade. Prof. Secrist has just gone to Rochester, N. Y., to deliver four addresses in as many days at the annual meeting of the National Association of Retail Clothiers, whose membership furnished the information upon which his survey is based.

If a Chicagoan buys two suits of clothes a year and pays an average of $50 each for the suit—an expenditure of $100—Prof. Secrist discovered that of this total net sale, only $2.07 went for advertising and of this small amount but $1.59 went to the newspapers for newspaper advertising. The survey covered a 3-year period and is regarded as furnishing standards for the retail clothing trade. Whereas, the newspapers get only a little over $1.50 of that $100, Prof. Secrist shows that the landlord, for rent, got $2.64, and that wages took $12.48. The bonus plan is not used by a majority of the retail clothiers and wherever it exists, it generally is in city plants of the largest companies, the survey reveals.

Thirty-six states with 569 stores contributed the information, the Northwestern professor reports. The survey was in progress a year, the results are published in six volumes and the total cost was about $50,000. "This survey is said to be unique," commented Prof. Secrist before leaving for Rochester. "As far as known a similar study never was made in any other industry or traffic."

### TAX SALE.

Notice is hereby given that certain lands in the Village of Irma will be offered for sale for arrears of taxes and costs on Tuesday, December 6th, 1921 at 2 p. m., at my office in Irma. A full list of the said lands may be found in the issue of the Irma Times of October 21st, 1921, or a printed list may be had from me on application.

Dated at the Village of Irma this 17th day of October, A. D. 1921.

N. M. MATHISON
Secretary-Treas.
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## VERMILION MAYOR IS GOV. CANDIDATE IN BATTLE RIVER

**MAYOR OF VERMILION SELECTED AT CONVENTION HELD IN THAT TOWN.**

Vermilion, Oct. 19th—The organization of the National Liberal and Conservative Association for the riding of Battle River and the selection of J. W. G. Morrison, mayor of the town of Vermilion, as the government candidate, resulted from the convention held here yesterday afternoon at which delegates were present from every part of the riding.

The day could not possibly have been more disagreeable, with a cold high wind blowing, making driving almost a physical impossibility. Notwithstanding this over eighty delegates were present and the greatest enthusiasm prevailed.

J. W. G. Morrison called the convention to order and a resolution was passed that an association be formed and officers elected.

They were: Honorary patrons, Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen and W. J. Blair; honorary president, Hon. R. B. Bennett; president, J. H. Drew, Kitscoty; vice-presidents, St. Paul constituency, E. Rosseau and Geo. E. Dodde; Vermilion, H. N. Stephens and Jack Bryden; Alexandria, J. R. Lowery and A. J. Mackay; Wainwright, J. A. Code and Geo. L. Hudson; Ribstone, F. Brink and A. J. McArthur; Coronation, Geo. Dillons and H. L. Crisp; secretary-treasurer, J. W. G. Morrison.

**Two Withdraw**

On the chairman calling for nomination of candidates the following names were submitted: W. J. Blair, W. C. Craig, G. L. Hudson, and J. W. G. Morrison. Both Messrs. Blair and Craig retired. On a ballot being taken Morrison had a majority and on motion of Mr. Hudson the nomination was made unanimous amidst rounds of applause. Mr. Morrison thanked the convention for the honor but stated it was unexpected as he had advised them against it.

The mass meeting in the Columbia theatre in the evening was attended by an overflowing audience. The speakers were J. B. Holden, government candidate for Victoria; W. J. Blair, J. W. G. Morrison, and Hon. R. B. Bennett. The issues of the day were clearly and fully discussed by M. Bennett and his appeal to the electorate had a decidedly impressive effect. W. J. Seed, ex-mayor of Vermilion, presided.

### COST OF ESTABLISHING A TREE WIND-BREAK.

The actual cost of setting out a tree-plantation in the case of a farmer is difficult to figure out. As a rule this work is done by the ordinary labour available on the farm and usually does not entail the actual disbursement of cash for additional labour. If we say it costs $5 per acre or $8 per acre to set out a plantation it really conveys very little, as this cost depends entirely on the rate of wages paid. The best way to state the cost is to figure on the actual time required to plant so many trees or to find out the number of trees a man can plant on the average in a working day of ten hours.

On the Nursery Station at Indian Head, Sask., approximately 100 acres have been set out in plantations spaced about four feet apart each way. The first plantings were made in 1905 and have been added to more or less each season. The method of planting followed has generally been in plough furrows. It has not been found that the number of men employed makes much difference in the number of trees each man can set in a day, provided the teamster also plants if the men cannot keep up with the plough.

At Indian Head it has been found that on an average 831 trees per day can be set by each man in the gang, including the teamster. The highest number on record here is 1380 per day per man and the lowest 670 per day per man. Where only one or two species are planted more trees can be set in a given time than where four or five species are planted together.—N. M. Ross, Dom. Forest Nursery Station, Indian Head, Sask.

## High School Notes.

Officers were elected at the last meeting of the Literary Society, which are as follows:

President, Tom Askins.
Vice-Pres. Mildred Allen.
Sec.-Treas., Sadie Lennon.

Grade VIII representative, Lorene Hoover; Grade IX representative, William Wold; Grade X representative Cecil Askins; Grade II representative, Eric Richardson.

The high school colors are being selected. A suitable motto is also beng chosen.

Rev. G. H. Elliott has been chosen honorary president of the Literary Society.

The high school has entered the Provincial Debating League. We are in B Division, and are debating for the Farmers' Cup, which is at present held by the Camrose high school.

T.A.

Muriel, Myrtle and Wilbur Ambler are back at school again. M.A.

## Ross Locals.

(Missed last week.)

A week ago last Friday John Watson was riding through some brush when his horse tumbled and made John hit his arm on a tree, the arm was quite badly strained but was doing nicely the last we heard.

Mrs. Howard Peterson has her mother, Mrs. Johnson, and her sister, Mrs. L. Brown, visiting her this week. They expect to return toward the end of the week to their homes at Acme, Alta.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lockhart on the 28th of September, a fine little daughter. Both are doing well.

Anyone who figured on going to Sunday school at Ross on Rally Day and didn't, sure missed a good program and fine feed of chicken.

Mrs. Charles Anderson returned home last week.

Mr. Matheson, of P. E. I., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. R. L. MacPherson for a few weeks.

—Editor's note—The above items should have appeared last week but the sheet was mislaid on our desk and failed to reach the printer on time. Come again Ross, and we will try not to mislay your notes.

## Big Railroad Strike.

A big railroad strike threatens to tie up the entire transportation system in the United States, beginning October 30th. The various unions of the railway men have been holding conferences during the past week and have decided on their plans. Only a miracle can prevent it, they say. President Harding is being appealed to. The dispute is over reduction of wages, the men claiming the freight and passenger rates have not come down in proportion to the wages.

Already the effects of the threatened strike are being felt. A sharp and sudden decline in the price of grain is claimed as a result. While the Canadian roads are not at present involved it is thought probable that the strike may spread to this country.

### SEED GRAIN DISTRIBUTION

The annual free distribution of samples of seed grain will be conducted as usual at the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, by the Dominion Cerealist.

The following kinds of seed grain will be sent out this season:—

Spring Wheat (in about 5-lb samples); white oats (about 4-lb.); barley (about 5-lb.); field peas (about 5-lb.); field beans (about 2-lb.); flax (about 2-lb.).

Only one sample may be sent to each applicant.

Applications must be on printed forms which may be obtained by writing to the Dominion Cerealist, Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

As the stock of seed is limited, farmers are advised to apply early to avoid disappointment. Those who applied too late last season are particularly requested to send in their names at once so that application forms may be forwarded to them. No application forms will be furnished after Feb. 1st. 1922.—C. E. Saunders, Dominion Cerealist.

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## The West and Redistribution

It is altogether probable that, even before the present issue of this paper reaches its readers, the Dominion Parliament will be dissolved and writs issued for a new Parliament whose legal span of life will run until 1927 unless, because of some exceptional circumstance, it is deemed advisable to consult the people before that year.

In compliance with the terms of the constitution of Canada a census of the population was taken in the month of June last. It is also provided by the constitution that upon the completion of such census the representation of the several Provinces in the House of Commons shall be readjust- in such manner as to give to each Province equality of representation on population such readjusted representation to become effective upon mination of the then existing Parliament.

admitted by all people in Canada, from Premier Meighen down, portion of Canada west of the Great Lakes will be shown to be a larger representation than it now enjoys, and the fact is equally nized that Canada east of the Great Lakes will not be entitled many representatives as it now has.

rtheless, although it would require only a few months more to and tabulate the 1921 figures of population and thus make possible rly and fair readjustment of the representation of the Provinces in the House of Commons, Parliament is hastily dissolved, although no new or sudden issue has arisen, and writs for a new Parliament issued which will result in Canada for the next five years being governed by a House of Commons which is not truly representative of the country.

The action taken may be constitutional within the strict meaning of the law, but it seems a violation of the spirit of the constitution. Yet it is not the first time this has happened in Canada. In fact ever since the population of the West began to increase so rapidly, while the population of Ontario and the Maritime Provinces failed to keep pace with Quebec's increase in population, there has been a tendency at Ottawa to precipitate general elections in the year of the census taking right on the eve of redistribution but before making it effective.

Let us take a historical glance back over the past thirty years and the last three census enumerations. In 1891 the House of Commons consisted of 215 members representing the Provinces as follows: Ontario 92, Quebec 65, Nova Scotia 21, New Brunswick 16, Prince Edward Island 6, Manitoba 5, British Columbia 6, North West Territories 4. This was a census year but instead of a redistribution bill being passed before going to the country, Parliament was dissolved, the issue being Reciprocity with the United States. It was not until five years later that the country secured the benefits of the readjustment which was really due in 1891.

The next census came in 1901, but a general election had been held the preceding year, but as the result of the previously delayed redistribution Ontario was entitled to only 86 members instead of 92, the three Maritime Provinces lost 8, while Manitoba doubled its quota from 5 to 10, the North West Territories from 4 to 11, and British Columbia added one. In 1905 the new Provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan were created, Saskatchewan being given 10 members and Alberta 7. This additional representation became effective in 1908.

While the figures of the census of 1911 were being tabulated, Reciprocity with the United States again became a live issue and an Agreement signed with the United States came before Parliament for ratification. Strong opposition developed in Eastern Canada and the Opposition obstructed and blockaded the passage of the bill. The Government thereupon appealed to the country, and once again the West was deprived of its rightful representation on a question in which it was vitally interested, while the East was allowed a representation to which it was not justly entitled.

War broke out in 1914 and by agreement the life of the Parliament elected in 1911 was extended and it was not until 1917, therefore that the people secured the benefits of the representation to which they were really entitled in 1911. That long delayed readjustment further reduced Ontario's representation to 82, a loss of 10 members in two decades; Nova Scotia dropped to 16, a loss of 5 in the same period; New Brunswick fell to 11, a loss of 5; P.E.I. to 3, or only one-half what it had in 1891. On the other hand Manitoba increased to 15, or three times its representation in 1891; Saskatchewan got 16 and Alberta 12, as compared with 4 for the N.W.T. in 1891; British Columbia was accorded 13 as compared with 6 in 1891; and the Yukon was given one.

In other words, although the membership of the House of Commons only increased from 215 in 1891 to 234 on the strength of the census of 1911, the representation west of the Great Lakes rose from 15 to 57, while the representation east of the Great Lakes fell from 200 to 177.

It is generally agreed, both East and West, that the same evolution in the political power of the country is taking place; that is, that the representation of the West will be increased and that of the East decreased when the final figures for 1921 are tabulated. It means that for one-half of the whole period during which the readjusted representation should be in effect the West will be under-represented.

## Scottish Castle Sold

**Has Secret Chamber and Walls Ten Feet Thick.**

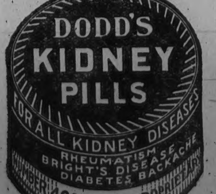
Viscount Cowdray has bought the estate of Castle Fraser, Donside, Aberdeenshire, for £48,000. Castle Fraser is reputed to one of the finest specimens of the Flemish style of architecture in Scotland.

The castle has a secret chamber in which the master of the house could overhear the conversation of his guests in the dining hall. This is supposed to have suggested to Sir Walter Scott a similar contrivance in "The Fortunes of Nigel." Walls throughout the building, which stands upon arches, are from 6 feet to 10 feet thick.

Paring a corn is both risky and ineffective. It is much better to use Holloway's Corn Remover and eradicate them entirely.

### Many Uses For Paper.

In the art of making and using paper we are not in line with the Chinese and other Asiatics, who not only make the finest paper in the world, but apply it to all sorts of uses, making window panes, umbrellas, fans, sandals and even cloaks and garments of it.



## Family Of Fifteen Coming To Canada

**Father Is Minister But May Farm In Saskatchewan.**

A family of fifteen, consisting of father, mother and thirteen children, stepped on the Canadian Pacific liner Minnedosa at Liverpool bound for Canada. They were as cheery a party as any on the boat and all looked forward with hopeful expectation to the new life which the voyage was opening to them.

Of the children the eldest is 18 years old, and the youngest two. There are eight boys and five girls, including two pairs of twins. The head of the family is the Rev. Rufus John Kirkland, a Primitive Methodist minister, of Danbury, Oxfordshire, who is coming to the little prairie town of Mazenod, Saskatchewan, to take up the pastorate of a church there, and possibly a farm.

**The Many-Purpose Oil.**—Both in the house and stable there are scores of uses for Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Use it for cuts, bruises, burns, scalds, the pains of rheumatism and sciatica, sore throat and chest. Horses are liable very largely to similar ailments and mishaps as afflict mankind, and are equally amendable to the healing influence of this fine old remedy which has made thousands of firm friends during the past fifty years.

### A Disappearing Island.

One of the most famous of disappearing islands is Expedition Island, situated off the northwest corner of Australia, and which was visited as lately as 1892. Today it has disappeared, and is now fifty feet below water. The island was 13 miles long and famous for its beauty.

"I see ye have a new hired man, Ezra," said Eben Potter. "How is he doing?"

"Resting considerable easier than the other one did, thank ye!" replied the disgusted farmer.

## Honesty Was Not Lavishly Rewarded

**Paris Chauffeur Given One Dollar For Returning $10,000.**

Among the 85,000 articles lost in Paris and returned to the police department in 1919 were 20,000 umbrellas, according to figures just published. Eighty per cent. of the articles lost in taxicabs are reclaimed, one chauffeur recently bringing a glove of which three fingers were missing. Honesty is not always lavishly rewarded, as may be seen from the case of a chauffeur who sacrificed a morning's work to trace an old woman who had left $10,000 in notes in his cab and was rewarded with a dollar.


## BARELY LIVED THROUGH IT

A terrible experience had Edw. J. O'Connor, of Sault Ste. Marie. From boyhood he writes: "I have been a constant sufferer from Asthma and Catarrh. My nose and throat was often stopped up, and I had disagreeable droppings from my throat. When an attack of coughing came on, it seemed as if I would barely live through it. I would gasp for breath. Catarrhozone made me well. It's soothing healing action was exactly suited to my case." To those who suffer from Catarrh, Asthma, Throat Irritation and Bronchitis, Catarrhozone is highly recommended. Two months treatment, one dollar, smaller size 25c and 50c at all dealers or The Catarrhozone Co., Montreal.


## Steel Shipped By Airplane

**Was Required In a Hurry For London Depot.**

Two cwts. of steel were conveyed from Manchester to London by aeroplane for use in connection with the completion of the steel work construction of the new depot of the London General Omnibus Company at Chiswick, W. The aeroplane, an Avro, was chartered by Lambourne and Co., Ltd., Victoria Steel Works, Openshaw, Manchester, who are responsible for the work, the steel being urgently required for certain vital parts of the building. The machine left Manchester at 9 a.m., reached Croydon, London, at noon, and by about four o'clock the steel was in position at the new depot.

**A Remedy for Earache.**—To have the earache is to endure torture. The ear is a delicate organ and few care to deal with it, considering it work for a doctor. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil offers a simple remedy. A few drops upon a piece of lint or medicated cotton and placed in the ear will do much in relieving pain.

### Explaining It.

Fountain pens figure among the utensils confiscated in America for containing illicit whisky. No wonder some of these Americans are such spirited writers. — From London Opinion.


## DELICATE GIRLS NEED NEW BLOOD

**Rich, Red Blood Means Health and Strength.**

The anaemia of young girls may be inherited, or it may be caused by bad air, unsuitable food, hasty and irregular eating, insufficient out-of-door exercise and not enough rest and sleep.

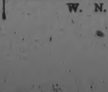
It comes on gradually, beginning with langour, indisposition to mental or bodily exertion, irritability and a feeling of fatigue. Later comes the palpitation of the heart, headaches, dizziness following a stooping position, frequent backaches and breathlessness. In a majority of cases constipation is present. There may be no great loss of flesh, but usually the complexion takes on a greenish-yellow pallor.

Cases of this kind, if neglected, become more serious, but if taken in time there is no need to worry. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which are free from any harmful or habit-forming drug, are just the tonic needed to remedy this wretched state of health. Though it is not noticeable, improvement begins with the first dose. As the blood is made rich the pallor leaves the face, strength and activity gradually return and the danger of relapse is very slight.

If any symptom of anaemia appears, prudence suggests that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills should be given at once, and the sooner they are taken the more speedily will their action improve the blood. You can get these pills through any dealer in medicine, or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.


### Barcelona Has 717,000 People.

The recent census shows that the population of Barcelona is now 717,000 an increase of nearly 130,000 over 1910.

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## Make The Most Of Apples

BY LORETTO C. LYNCH
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With the first days of autumn, the marketer sees a glorious array of healthful apples. Apples are to the fruit world what potatoes are among vegetables. Unlike most fruits, we do not readily tire of them. It behooves the housewife, therefore, to buy apples in quantity—such quantity as she can conveniently store.

Pick out the best looking apples from among those you purchase, wash them thoroughly with a brush and warm water, dry and polish with soft paper. Pile these in your prettiest fruit dish. The kiddie will often pass by the candy box to pick up and bite into an attractive apple.

While nearly always apples in the raw are easily digested, it sometimes happens that in order to be more easy of digestion, they need to be cooked. There are innumerable recipes for cooking apples in various ways, but every housewife should be familiar with at least three or four easy methods of preparation without reference to her cook book.

For baking, select the green or cooking apple. It is perfectly possible to bake the pretty red apple so common in many sections, but connoisseurs long ago decided upon the all-round superiority of the green apple. Since apples are of the acid fruits, cooking them in either tin or iron vessels must be avoided. An earthen baking dish, an aluminum pot or pan, or the familiar agate or granite utensil must be used.

Before deciding as to the number of apples you will bake, remember that a left-over baked apple that has been properly cared for is quite as good the second or third day after baking. It may be wise in order to economize in oven heat to bake more than you expect to use immediately.

Scrub the apple, remove the core and a strip of skin an inch in width from the stem end of the apple. This will help to prevent the bursting of the skin. Place the apple on the baking dish, fill each cavity with brown sugar and add either a few grains of ground cinnamon or a few drops of lemon juice to each apple. A dot of butter may be put here and there on the apple.

Pour a little water, preferably hot, into the bottom of the baking dish and set the dish in a moderate oven. Open the oven every ten minutes and with a spoon dip the syrup over the apple to prevent burning. Serve cold either with the syrup formed in the dish or with cream, plain or whipped.

From the less perfect apples one may prepare stewed apples. Cut the apple in half, remove the skin and core and from each half of the apple cut about four sections. Make a syrup by boiling together for five minutes a cup of water and one-fourth of a cup of sugar.

Into this put the apple and stew slowly until tender. Care must be taken not to overcook the apples and cause them to break. A bit of stick cinnamon or a couple of cloves or some lemon or orange rind may be cooked with the apple to vary the flavor.

Deep dish apple pie should not be overlooked. This is made with an upper crust only. The best crust will soak the fruit juice if placed on the bottom, and unless one has a particularly good digestion it may cause trouble. A glass baking dish is ideal for this type of pie. The shops are showing delightful little individual glass pie dishes which are highly desirable for serving one-crust pies.

### A Good Sign.

Inquiry is made whether a wave of something cannot be discovered that would add to the sum of happiness, as a relief from the crime waves and suicide waves with which we are constantly regaled. It is nevertheless a good sign that a wave of happiness is still not news. Happiness is a good deal commoner, and hence more commonplace, than the pessimists are willing to admit.—From the Portland Oregonian.

Good spuds to grow. Early Ohio, Irish Cobbler, Wee McGregor, Duke of York. As these will mature before we get killing frosts.

The fool shooth his neighbor's hens from his backyard, but the wise man fixeth up a snug place for them to lay in.

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## A Pertinent Question

**Why Did Kaiser Run If Troops Were Never Vanquished.**

With his old-time grandiloquence the former German Kaiser sent a message to the Junker meeting held by his son and Ludendorff in Berlin recently, in which he exclaimed: "With proud and warm gratitude I think today of my brave comrades, never vanquished in the field." But if they were never vanquished in the field why is it that the puissant partner of "Me and God" so unceremoniously skedaddled from the field and scurried into hiding in Holland, whence he has never dared poke his head across the border since?—Louisville Courier-Journal.


## Killed By Blood Poison

Used an old razor for paring his corns. Foolish because 25c buys a bottle of Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor which for fifty years has been removing corns and warts without pain. No failure if you use "Putnam's." Refuse a substitute, 25c everywhere.


### Rooms With Baths Are Scarce.

In London and Paris there are several hotels which have rooms with private baths, but there are very few bathrooms in the average European hotel. It is always an extra even when used with cold water. Hot water is dilcult to obtain in winter, and in some hotels, where it is worked by a slot machine attached to a gas geyser, the guest has to feed it with 20 cents for every quart of water.

Spare the children from suffering from worms by using Miller's Worm Powders, a most effective vermifuge with which to combat these insidious foes of the young and helpless. It is an excellent worm destroyer, and when its qualities become known in a household no other will be used. The medicine acts by itself, requiring no purgative to assist it, and so thoroughly that nothing more is desired.

## Record Among Canadian Indians

**Six Generations Have Been Discovered At Nelson House.**

Six generations of one family, whose aggregate ages amount to 342 years, have been discovered at Nelson House. They belong to the Cree tribe of Indians and were photographed at the payment of treaty in July. It is believed that this establishes a record, at least among the Indians of Canada.

The names, ages and relationship of the family follow:

Sarah Donkey, age 112; Carolyne Spence, age 90, daughter; John Donkey, age 70, grandson; Ina Spence, age 46, great-grand-daughter; Sarah Donkey, age 22, great-great-grand-daughter; Jemima Donkey, age 2, great-great-great-grand-daughter.

Sarah Donkey, the first, was born at York Factory of full blooded Cree parents. She retains possession of all her faculties excepting her eyesight, which is failing. To attend treaty she travelled in a canoe for 150 miles and lived in a tepee for three weeks, while the treaty negotiations were on.

Hutchinson, Kas., claims to be the largest exclusive hard wheat market in the world. Nearly 100,000,000 bushels of hard wheat will be marketed through the Hutchinson elevators this year.

In China, 12 1-2 miles from the village of Lion Chek, there is a mountain of alum, which, in addition to being a natural curiosity, is a source of wealth to the inhabitants of the country.

## Industrial Ontario

**Has More Than 50 Per Cent. of Dominion's Manufacturing Plants.**

Ontario is the richest province of Canada. Of the Dominion's wealth, estimated at 2,801,000,000 for the year just past, Ontario's share was $1,267,000,000. Consistent with the remainder of the Dominion, agriculture asserts its superiority over other lines of activity and maintains the premier place in provincial assets. Ontario is, however, the first industrial province of Canada, considerably more than fifty per cent. of the product of the Dominion's manufacturing plants being attributable to this province.

Minard's Liniment Lumberman's Friend.

W. E. Lord, 23 years old, captain of a steamship of the Baltimore Steamship Company, is one of the youngest skippers on the Atlantic coast. Captain Lord is a native of Springfield, Mass., and first went to sea when he was 16 years old.


## Dyed Her Draperies Also a Faded Skirt

"Diamond Dyes" add years of wear to worn, faded skirts, waists, coats, stockings, sweaters, coverings, hangings, draperies, everything. Every package contains directions so simple any woman can put new, rich, fadeless colors into her worn garments or draperies even if she has never dyed before. Just buy Diamond Dyes—no other kind—then your material will come out right, because Diamond Dyes are guaranteed not to streak, spot, fade or run. Tell your druggist whether the material you wish to dye is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton, or mixed goods.


### Snub From Argentine Government.

A Reuter's message from Buenos Aires states that the Argentine Government has declined to receive Laurence Ginnell officially as the representative of the "Irish Republican Government." The Foreign Minister, however, received him at his residence in a private capacity.

Ask for Minard's and take no other

An eminent scientist has estimated that the average man's eyelids open and shut four million times during the year.

Others loaf. We merely take a rest.


## LETTER FROM MRS. WAKELIN

**Tells Remarkable Story of Sickness and Recovery.**

Toronto, Ont.—"I suffered greatly from weakness, seemed to be tired all the time, and had no ambition to do anything or go any place. My nerves were in bad shape, I could not sleep at night, and then came a breakdown. I read of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the newspapers and several of my friends advised me to use it, and it surely put new life into me. Now I am quite able to do all my own work, and I would strongly advise every suffering woman to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial."—Mrs. CHARLES WAKELIN, 272 Christie St., Toronto, Ont.

The makers of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound have thousands of such letters as that above—they tell the truth, else they could not have been obtained for love or money. This medicine is no stranger—it has stood the test for more than forty years.

If there are any complications you do not understand write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass.

# Canada's Greatest Need Is An Increase Of Settled Population

Canada is an outstanding example of the effects of population and the Province of Manitoba is but a smaller epitome of the effects of distributing the British people over the British Empire. The production, development and advance of the country have always proceeded parallel to the increase of settled population. When there were no people settled on this vast territory there were no cultivated areas, no manufacturers, no exports, no roads or other artificial means of communication and no accumulated wealth. Now in practically half a century all this has been reversed by the efforts of the migrating British and other races who have settled here.

Some people still imagine that the fewer the people the better off they are. They should compare the difference between Manitoba, or even Winnipeg, in the year 1894, when the Prince of Wales was born, and now. Then the immediate effects of increased population at once will be come apparent. Such persons have a right to object to the incursion either of races which have lower standards of living and will not easily fuse with the predominant race of the people. They also may legitimately object to people being encouraged to come here on false assurances of unscrupulous persons that the earth will give her increase without much effort from the cultivator and that urban situations await all new arrivals.

The mere possession of the property qualification of $250 on arrival is no antitode to the harm that such people may do to the welfare of those already here. At the same time equal evil is wrought on the employment of the community and the development of the province and of the Dominion by the exclusion of persons for whom there are permanent opportunities of employment which cannot be filled locally.

Scientific control of population places the right man in the right place at the right time. This is of benefit to the people at large as it distributes the debt between more tax payers, increases the earnings of the railways and makes more employment for others already settled in the province.

The foundation of Canada, as we know it now was immigration, or as it is now called, Imperial migration. The British people cannot migrate into an Empire of which they already form a part. When they emigrate to foreign countries they are lost to the Empire. When they migrate under the same flag, they become more effectual and consequently of greater Imperial value than before.

Natural increase is the subsequent additional method of augmenting the population. This, however, takes time as people have to be born at least 14 years before they become effective producers, and it is usually ten or more years later before they marry to so become the progenitors of subsequent generations. Migration is, however, immediate, and being selective, enables the right type of persons to be chosen for the work to be performed. Their advent at a working age also saves the country of destination the cost of their maintenance for the earlier years of their existence. Thus Manitoba receives the result of expenditure totalling over $1,000 in every lad she gets from Britain.

### Big Gold Yield In Yukon.

The gold yield in the Yukon Valley, including Canadian and United States territory, for the season of 1921, aggregated approximately $4,000,000, according to V. Richard, superintendent of northern commercial posts of Alaska. He obtained the data from commercial houses and other sources. Roughly this amount was divided as follows: Interior Alaska, $2,675,000; Yukon Territory, $1,250,000 Atlin, B.C., $75,000.

Hydraulic operations around Dawson are ceasing for general clean-up purposes.

### Willie Wanted Information.

A school teacher in an American town recited to her class the story of the landing of the Pilgrims, and when she had finished she told each pupil to try to draw from his or her imagination a picture of Plymouth Rock. Most of them went to work at once, but one little fellow hesitated, then at length raised his hand. "Well, Willie, what is it?" asked the teacher. "Please, ma'am, do you want us to draw a hen or a rooster?"

### Hero Worship.

"That young bride worships her husband, doesn't she?"

"Well, she places burnt offerings before him three times a day."



## Plan To Reclaim Lands In B. C.

**Would Bring About Thirty Thousand Acres Under Cultivation.**

Recently there appeared in the press a despatch from Victoria, B.C., stating that at a joint conference of the drainage officials of the State of Idaho and the Province of British Columbia, an agreement had been entered into which would assure finishup investigational work to determine the feasibility or otherwise of draining 60,000 acres of land in the Kootenay River Valley, approximately half of which area lies in Idaho and the other half in British Columbia.

Looking solely at the 30,000 acres on the Canadian side of the boundary line, to the average prairie dweller the bringing of this area—less than 50 sections—under cultivation is a matter of hardly more than passing moment; in many parts of the west the swinging of such a project nowadays would get scant attention except for local publicity purposes.

In British Columbia, however, where 30,000-acre tracts of continuous agricultural land of outstanding fertility is very much the exception, rather than the rule, the probability of ultimately bringing such an area under production is attracting almost province-wide attention; in some measure due to the fact that the to-be reclaimed lands are located in the very heart of a territory that rather badly needs agricultural products of the sorts this overflowed territory can produce in both quantity and quality.

The cause of this annual overflow of the area is simply a matter of too large an intake of water and too small an outlet for the spring floods. The Kootenay River, with its tributaries, draining the whole of the western slopes of the Rocky Mountains in B.C. and the Selkirk ranges, after a bold sweep southward running into the United States as far as Bonners Ferry, Idaho, from that point turns directly north again to B.C. and Kootenay Lake. At the same time the Lardo River and others run into the lake at the other end and the combined volume of water passes out toward the centre of the lake by a passage called the West Arm, like the downward stroke of a gigantic T, past Nelson and Bonnington Falls to join the Columbia River.

The reclamation has solely to do with the enlarging of the lake's outlet. In 1913 a preliminary survey was made by Engineer Muerling, who in his findings reported favorably on the project but asked for a more thorough examination of the whole territory before making a final decision. With the outbreak of the war the next year the scheme was, for the time being, abandoned. American engineers have also spent two seasons on the work, and their report made public two years ago, was strongly in favor of the work being proceedd with, the estimated cost being a little over $2,000,000.

The land is in one of the older settled parts of B.C. interior, already supplied with railway communication by the Crow's Nest line, has good highways, educational facilities and every modern convenience, so that the province would be at no expense in providing these. The bench lands surrounding this to-be-reclaimed area is one of the finest fruit areas in all B.C. The climate is ideal.

The entire area in B.C. is government-owned land, and the Board of Trade at Creston which for years has been urging its reclamation expects the provincial lands department—if the lands are drained—to adopt a policy of selling the tract in not larger than 40-acre farms to bona fide farmer settlers, at a price that will just nicely suffice to meet the full cost of draining the area. As to the cost of the work it has been agreed that the U.S. and British Columbia interests will pay this pro rata on the basis of acres reclaimed.

### "House of Hearts" In California.

A California woman has a home that is a veritable "House of Hearts." The tables, chairs, etc., in fact, all the furniture of the peculiar house, is heart-shaped. The beds have heart-shaped headboards, supported on both sides by bedposts carved to represent Cupid's arrows.

Hungary announces an issue of currency to be printed on leather. Pigskin is the chosen material, which is said to be almost impossible to counterfeit.

In Japan books are bound with the edges in; the readers begin at the back and go forward, and they read vertically instead of horizontally.

## WESTERN EDITORS

W. G. Pickell, Portage la Prairie, Publisher of Oakville Standard and Langruth Herald.

## A Leader Of Boys

**To Be Successful One Must Practise What He Preaches.**

To be a successful leader of boys a man must live the life that he wants them to live. A boy is a critical, suspicious creature, with high ideals and a sense of loyalty, but he has a perception of hypocrisy and insincerity that is uncanny. Most boys have a sense of humor; they like play-acting and jokes, and have a wonderful capacity for getting into scrapes; yet their sense of justice is accurate, and they really like discipline, for it relieves them of responsibility. But it is useless to preach to a boy unless you are ready to back up your counsel by your example.—Youth's Companion.

## Recover Many Bodies Of Entombed Miners

**King Sent Message of Sympathy to Victims' Relatives.**

London.—Thirty-five bodies have now been recovered from the pits of the Mount Mulligan collieries in Queensland, following the recent explosions in those mines, according to a Reuter despatch from Brisbane. The despatch indicates that despite the fact that rescuing parties are equipped with respirators, it is now feared that they may have to abandon their efforts owing to the bad gases encounted in their work. Relatives of the victims have received messages of sympathy from King George, Viscount Curzon and Premier Hughes.

### Air Police System For Paris.

Aviation experts have been called in by the air ministry to study how an air police system may be installed, not only to protect the frontiers from smugglers, or enemy invaders, but also from bandits. The latter possibility has become serious because of aerial navigation between Paris and practically every European capital, with some of the voyages requiring night trips.

### Copper In Shetland.

London.—An important and rich discovery of copper has been made in Shetland. The lodes thus far proved give a high percentage and already half a million tons of copper ore is in sight.

### Sarcasm.

Dad (sternly—Where were you last night?

Son—Oh, just riding around with some of the boys.

"Well, tell 'em not to leave their hairpins in the car."—Texas Scalper.

## Argentine Lands High In Price

**Must Go Far Afield to Get Cheap Farms.**

Many applications for settlement on land in the Argentine have been received from the United States and Canada. The recent government decree opens up 16,000,000 acres of government land for the establishment of colonies in different parts of the republic.

These government lands are to be sold to colonists, but it is understood that the price will not be low. They are located as far north as Misiones near the Brazilion border, where the climate is tropical, and as far south as Terra del Fuego, which corresponds to the latitude of Labrador. Some of the land already is partly colonized and it is understood that the titles of the present settlers will be adjusted.

The government colonization plan generally is approved by the newspapers because of excessively high land values prevailing. Land is comparatively speaking in the hands of a few individuals who hold the price too high to make it attractive to immigrants or who will not sell at all.

A small farm two hours distant from Buenos Aires is just as expensive to buy, it is asserted, as a small farm the same distance from a large city in England, France or Germany.

One of the papers, the Times, points out that in order to obtain cheap land the immigrant must go far afield and he often finds that what he saves on the price of the land has been swallowed up by the extra expense of getting himself and his family settled on it and securing his equipment.

Argentine wants immigrants because, for one reason, her agricultural development has been arrested for more than a decade. Carlos Tornquist, a leading Argentine banker and economist, says that in the last 12 years Argentine livestock has improved in quality but has decreased in quantity.

## Luckiest Of Explorers

**Shackleton Has Best Equipped Vessel To Enter Polar Seas.**

Sir Ernest Shackleton, interviewed before the departure of his expedition for the Antarctic, via Cape Town, said:

"The ship Quest is the lightest vessel that ever ventured into polar seas and by far the best equipped. In this respect, therefore, we are the luckiest of explorers, and should be able to wrest from the Antarctic many of its grimly held secrets."

Captain Saunders' utility boat, Consuela, has been dispatched from Cowes to join the Quest at Plymouth. This utility boat can be sailed, rowed, punted, paddled or propelled by gasoline engine. It is fitted with a rubber band enabling its use among sludge ice.

### Extreme Penalty.

Long, long ago, years before he took silk, a noted barrister was sitting in court when another barrister, leaning across the benches during the hearing of a trial for bigamy, whispered:

"What's the extreme penalty for bigamy?"

"Two mothers-in-law," replied the first, without hesitation.

### Newton Invented Thermometer Scale

The thermometer scale was really invented by Sir Isaac Newton. Fahrenheit, finding that a more intense cold could be created by mixing ice and snow, took that as his zero, and for convenience divided Sir Isaac's scale by four.

# Arctic Circle Region Is Hedged About With False Impressions

In the lamentable ignorance which exists in many other countries regarding Canada, her wealth and resources, and particularly on her climate, hosts of strangers who know not the great land might be inclined to include under the appellation the greater part, if not the whole, of the Dominion, unheeding the fact that there must be a summer of blazing glory behind its consistent world successes in wheat growing, and a bracing spring and fall to commence and terminate a lengthy agricultural season. There are doubtless too, misconceptions on the mighty Yukon territory where for many years a civilization has existed, modern in its very phase, and progressing along the same lies as areas further south.

But there is an Arctic north to Canada, by which is indicated that territory adjacent to, and inside of, the Arctic circle, a region where only superficial exploration has been carried on and for this reason is hedged about with a thousand misconceptions and false impressions. It is indeed a region of cold winters, but also one of exceedingly bright warm summers. It is not the barren waste popular opinion has pictured it but one of luxuriant verdure and extensive vegetation. It has a wealth of natural resources and other potentialities, a decided future asset to the Dominion. International interest being particularly centred on this northern territory of Canada, it is now appropriate to look into its features.

It may sound absurd to speak of agriculture here, but one might suggest to memory the sceptics who said that wheat would never be grown in the Canadian North-West. The amazing fact might also be pointed out that as far back as 1876 wheat grown by Roderick Mackenzie, brother of the great explorer, at Fort Chipewyan, which is to all intents and purposes within the Arctic circle, carried off the first prize at the Centennial Exposition at Philadelphia. This was in an era prior to the plains of the south coming into prominence as cereal producers and bearing off most of the prizes for the North American continent.

Though fur, at the present time, constitutes practically the sole commercial product of this region, there is every reason to suppose that at some future time, when the millions of acres to the south of it, as yet unproductive, have been brought under the plough, this section will make a name for itself in agriculture. There is no reason why it should not. At present development of an agricultural nature is limited to the gardens of the fur-trading posts located about 160 miles apart along the Mackenzie. These gardens, however, demonstrate that potatoes and various other vegetables can be grown successfully as far north as the Arctic circle. The surprisingly luxurient growth that wild grasses attain around the trading posts suggests the possible future development of stock raising. The excellent herd of cattle maintained by the Roman Catholic Mission at Fort Smith for many years, illustrates in the clearest manner, the value of the wild grasses for grazing and the adaptability of the country to running of stock.

It requires but little imagination in the face of recent undertakings to foretell the future of the great tundras of the Canadian Arctic north as the greatest meat producing region of the world which will make the palatable and nutritious meats of the cariboo, reindeer and musk-oxen familiar to the dining tables of the globe. Three islands in the waters of the North-West Territories: Southampton, Mansel and Goat's, each with an abundance of fodder, have been set aside by the government as perpetual breeding grounds for reindeer and musk-oxen. Steffanson, the famous Canadian explorer, has formed a company with British capital and secured a thirty-year grazing lease on the south half of Baffin's land for the same purpose. The North American Reindeer Company has a ranch of 73,-750 square miles north of the Churchill River to graze reindeer and cariboo upon for commercial purposes, whilst another large concession of the Northland has been secured by the Hudson's Bay Reindeer Company, a commercial organization with the same aims.

The bleak Canadian north framed in perpetual ice and snow, the monotonous barren tundras of the Arctic circle are fictitious features of long harbored traditions having no substance in fact. This region is one of latent wealth and potentiality, largely unproductive as yet on account of lack of exploitation, but fast being penetrated and forced to utility. Canada has large areas to the south yet awaiting settlement and development and when these are producing to their full capacity, the rich Canadian Arctic regions will come into their own.

## Everything Orderly In North Country

**Residents Have the Greatest Respect For British Justice.**

Major G. L. Jennings, superintendent of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, who has returned to Edmonton following a tour into the north that occupied a period of three months, and took him over distances aggregating four thousand miles, has come back with the information that everything is orderly in the north country and that the residents of the great stretches of territory lying between Edmonton and the Arctic have the greatest respect for British justice and the orderly traditions of the British race.

The trip made by the police superintendent took him to all detachments of the force as far north as Herschel Island. All posts were visited and all were found to be characterized by the traditional efficiency of the Canadian Mounted Police force.

Superintendent Jennings announces that the coming winter will see several dog patrols throughout the north which will pay visits to the various oil camps and other centres. One of these patrols will go through to Fort Good Hope and another to Deace Bay and onward to Great Bear Lake.

Apart from the oil activity, Major Jennings returns with the information that there is very little change in the north country from the conditions which prevailed during his visit about twelve years ago. Like many other travellers to the north, he brings back news that the condition of the Smith Portage is very bad and badly in need of improvement.

He reports law and order in the north to be on a high plane and that general conditions could not be more satisfactory. Not in one instance, he says, has it been necessary to prosecute any person who has entered the north under the clearance certificate.

## Belgian Entrant Won Balloon Race

**All of the Fourteen Competitors Accounted For.**

London.—With the landing of the Swiss balloon, piloted by Paul Armbruster, all the 14 competitors in the international race for the James Gordon Bennett trophy, which started at Brussels, Belgium, have been accounted for.

The Swiss entrant landed at Lanbay Island, off the east coast of County Dublin, Ireland, and therefore wins the cup.

### Fastest Talker.

Many women were among the 500 persons who entered a competition at a church fete at Hounslow, Middlesex, to find the fastest speaker. The winner was H. J. Nias, of Hounslow, who managed to repeat the words, "Some fountain pen," 78 times in 30 seconds, being a rate of 468 words a minute.

### A Look That Lingers.

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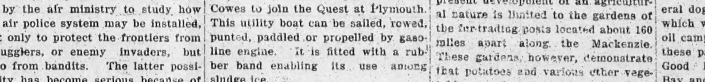

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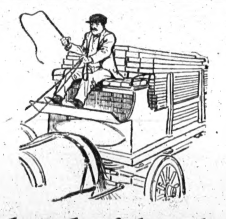

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# Northcliffe's Impression of Canada

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We read about Canpac shares in our morning papers, we see beautiful models of great steamers in the Cockspur-street offices of the company, and we hear enthusiastic descriptions of the gorgeous scenery through which this three-letter railway runs. To most of us who have not crossed from sea to sea by this marvel of marvels, there is perhaps not a very great difference between C.P.R., P.L.M., and the other big railways of the world—an appeal to the romantic, which lies buried somewhere in the staidest Britisher, not very much more powerful.

The fact remains that there are few journeys more full of romance, of beauty, of adventure than the run we are making this week between Toronto and Vancouver. It is land-yachting, it is doubling Cape Horn in an old wind-jammer, it is pioneering — above all it is pioneering.

These tremendous trains run daily from coast to coast with the same regularity, almost with the same punctuality as do the expresses from London to Edinburgh, yet every one of them is, in a sense, a pioneer. Since we left Toronto we have passed through country which is exactly the same wild, savage tract of stone pines and gaunt rocks as it was when the first blow of a pick-axe announced the birth of the C.P.R.

None but the wild animals live there, bear, black fox, elk, moose, and deer. The lakes and streams are full of bass and trout and pickerel —a sort of big perch—and to you looking out of the window of a C.P.R. train the whole land is a sportsman's paradise. It is a fair-sized piece of the world which has not changed since the Creation.

Between Toronto and Calgary you pass every sort of scenery the world can show you. You find Norway, Scotland, the Roman Campagna (the capital of which is that little city with the great name, Medicine Hat), and, along the shore of Lake Superior, the Mediterranean by the French Riviera, and bits of the Adria by Corfu. For miles and miles on each side of Winnipeg you run through limitless wheat-fields stretching out on either side to the horizon, North Norfolk magnified a thousand times, a Sahara of grain.

Last night I awoke in the small hours. It was not because the train had stopped, but because a silence, an utter absence of any sort of sound enveloped us. It is a commonplace to say "a silence which can be felt," but it was, in truth, exactly that. The wide world—the little station of Moose Jaw, I think it was—lay buried beyond rescue under a crushing silence. The vast size of the land around us, the sense of absolute loneliness bore down on us tiny atoms like the Atlantic on the pebbles of its seafloor.

Life on board the Montmorency is extremely pleasant. This is what she is like. Outside she is painted a rich crimson and her lines give her just that distinction between a smart 100-ton yacht and a White Sea trawler. Both are delightful to look at, but the yacht holds your eye the longer.

At the stern is something rather like the captain's stern-walk in an old three-decker, with a green and white striped awning. Here is the gangway, the way in, and here you sit in fair weather. Leading out to the stern-walk is the drawing-room or observation compartment, where half a dozen full-sized people can sit in comfort, and where two of the same kind can sleep at night in beds which are no sort of relation to the coffin-bunks on trans-European expresses.

Here, too, is the speed indicator, a most fascinating toy, which is hourly watched by us all as it climbs and falls between zero and 55 miles an hour. For'ard of this come three bedrooms, simply and restfully decorated, each with its tables and chairs, its cupboards, dressing-tables, and wash-stands. Follows a bath-room with a shower.

Beyond these comes the dining room, where eight people can sit down to dinner in all comfort and ten can be arranged for with a little good-will. This room, with its four great windows, is also the writing-room. A well-fitted desk of proper size lets down out of a recess containing everything the busiest man can need. In two of the corners are a couple of spare beds, which disappear into the panelling, in case you feel hospitable and invite people to spend a night or two on board this delightful car.

That is one of the charms of this tremendous run from sea to sea. It is one journey for you, who begin it at Montreal or Toronto and finish within sound of the Pacific breakers, but it is perhaps twenty or thirty to people along the line. During your cruise, therefore, you can send telegrams through the agency of the C.P.R. and invite a friend to join you at, say, Winnipeg. You do not say 'Do stay with me on Tuesday or Wednesday," but "Keep us company between Winnipeg and Calgary, or between Woman River and Indian Head." And, if the friend is wise, he hastens to accept and come aboard with a suit-case.

Beyond the dining-room come the pantry and the kitchen, whence issue delicious meals, which are never the same, served in a quite perfect manner. Nearly every day, at sunrise, one of those kindly, hospitable Canadian wayside station masters or an agent of the C.P.R. boards the car with a present of freshly caught speckled trout or bass, or, if you happen to be out of the river-lands, with the next best and most valued thing, an armful of flowers with the morning dew still on them.

At every hour you are given fresh proof of the kind-heartedness of Canadians, who go to any trouble and travel any distance to do you a simple kindness and wish you luck on your way.

The courtesy of the C.P.R officials, which I have known and enjoyed for nearly 30 years, is the proud and justifiable boast of the company, but it is that sort of courtesy which begins with kindness. All along the line we have had a special telegraph news-bulletin sent in twice a day, and the various divisional superintendents have left nothing undone to make our journey as pleasant as possible. For example, at Kenora I was taken for a short motor drive, abandoning the train, which stopped to pick us up a few miles further on.

Again, every official on the train is eager to give you interesting information about the country, the cities and the peoples, red and white. One thing which has particularly struck me on this journey is the deep affection in which the Prince of Wales and the Duke of Connaught are everywhere held. From all sorts of people I have heard just those little familiar sentences about them which mean so much and which among English-bred folk are used only about people they really like.

Years ago when Canada was simply a huge, vague territory sprawling between the oceans, with nothing to bind it together or give this mighty Dominion real cohesion, people who were regarded as ripe for the asylum used to say that one day a great steel road would run across it from end to end and give it what it needed most, an artery. One of these dreamers was Bulwer Lytton, who made the prophecy more than sixty years ago. He and the rest were laughed at.

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I shall see many wonderful things in my long voyage round the world, but I do not think anything is likely to impress me more than this five-day run across a continent in the Montmorency."

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## VIKING

At a business meeting of the Union church of Viking on Wednesday it was decided unanimously to join with the Union churches of Western Canada, provided the local constitution is reserved.

Viking has rather a unique religious situation, inasmuch as there are five denominations worshipping together in unity and harmony. Methodists, Baptists, Presbyterians, Congregationalists and Anglicans, are united together. This arrangement was entered into about two years ago, and has meant a great deal to the religious life of the town.

Rev. Mr. Wheeler of the Presbyterian church was pastor and the work done has been of the substantial, lasting, constructive kind. Various differences have been sunk in the bigger deals of unionism, and what before was a burden for three or four denominational bodies is now a self-supporting, united church.

The result of this union culminated this week in another step in advance hen union with the larger group of union churches was decided upon. There were over seventy union churches in Western Canada, all under the supervision of the parent churches, and doing splendid work in the small towns in promoting harmony instead of discord.

Many of the small towns of this province might fnd their insurmountable difficulties wiped away if they would unite with other local churches in solving what is after all a common problem.

All over Canada on Armistice Day there will be conducted a sale of Poppies, in memory of the men who gave their lives in the last great war.

These poppies have been made of paper, by the women and children of France. Two million have been shipped to Canada.

These small poppies sell for ten cents each. Six cents goes to the fund in France. Four cents goes to a relief fund for the local G. W. V. A. Large poppies sell for 25c, and wreaths can be obtained from $2.25 to $4.50 each.

On Armistice day the women and children of France will decorate the graves of Canadian soldiers in France, while every patriotic man, woman and child over here will wear the poppie to show that the deeds of the brave dead have not been forgotten.

The headquarters of the league in France is under the direction of Madame Millerand, wife of the President of France.

All will remember the famous writing by the late Col. McCrae:

"In Flanders fields the poppies blow
Beneath the crosses, row on row,
that mark our place."

Our Canadian boys are over there. Buying these poppies will assist the French children whose parents did not come back. It will help the Canadian children likewise.

The sale of poppies in Viking will be directed by the local G. W. V. A., assisted by prominent citizens of the town.

Let every man woman and child in Viking wear the poppy on that day. Decorate your home or store with them.

Let's do our little bit for France and Canada, in memory of the boys over there.

Viking girls are said to be getting very cautious, as well as the young men. While at the movie the other evening a picture was shown on the screen where the hero was trying to persuade the heroine to say "yes" and a young couple in one of the front seats were overheard to say as follows: He: (cautiously) "Would you say 'yes' if I asked you to marry me?" She: (still more cautiously) "Would you ask me to marry you if I said I would say 'yes' if you asked me to marry you?"

Among those who attended the boxing tournament at Holden last Saturday were Steve Jones, Geo. Hoskins, Frank Buck, Boyd Gray, V. Overaker, Jas. A. Craig, J. L. Dodds, A. O. Omen, I. McLaren, Wm. Moorhead, Hogan Lund and many others from the nearby district.

At th meeting to consider the proposition to install an electric light plant in the curling and skating rink, a committee was appointed to go into the matter thoroughly. Representatives of four different electric lighting systems were present at the meeting Tuesday evening and explained the merits of their respective plants. From the data gathered the committee hopes to arrive at some satisfactory conclusion and make a recommendation in a short time. From the present outlook is quite probable that a plant will be installed in time to open the season about December 1st. The present gasoline lighting system has proven inadequate to light both the curling and skating ice satisfactorily and some improvement must be made.


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## THE KINGDOM

Legends of all peoples, the savages of Africa, the Eskimo, the Indians, the races of antiquity tell of a happy golden age to come—an age of happiness for themselves. The Greeks anticipated a political organization. The Jews looked for a golden age and a redeemer; this redeemer was to be a king, who would build up a great temporal power.

Mr. Elliott in continuing his series of sermons on the "Lord's Prayer" took the following extract as his text: "Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven." His sermon ably showed the meaning and nature of the "golden age" for which Christ commanded us to pray.

There are misconceptions as to the time this Kingdom is to come. John the Baptist preached, "Repent for the Kingdom is at hand." People thought the coming was to be instantaneous. Christ showed us that it was to be, "as the leaven in a measure of meal" and that the Kingdom will come when every life has been touched by this leaven.

The nature or what this Kingdom was to be was then dealt with by Mr. Elliott. In the words of Paul: " The Kingdom of God is not meat and drink, but joy and peace in the Holy Ghost." That is, not a material thing but of the spirit.

The Kingdom of God is a Kingdom of justice. Everywhere we see cruel wrongs; brother suppressing brother. When we pray "Thy Kingdom come" we pray that righteousness and justice may be established.

We thought we were safe from war previous to 1914, continued Mr. Elliott. We thought this last Great War was to be a war to end war. We find that there is now war between nations, and preparing for war among others. This is because we have not yet begun to practice the principles of Jesus Christ. When we pray these words we pray for peace everywhere; in communities, in home life, and between nations.

The question of where this Kingdom was to be established was then dealt with by Mr. Elliott. The Jews thought it was to be in Jerusalem, as a kingdom of the Jews;—an appalling narrow conception. We cannot say where the Kingdom of God is. It is not here; it is not there. It must grow in each individual heart. Business and social life must be governed by the teachings of Jesus Christ. Its sphere is wider than the individual heart. The prophesy "that all nations shall bow before him", illustrates this.

How is this Kingdom to be established? Many kingdoms have been founded by force. Napoleon, Caesar and Alexander conquered kingdoms, but each have passed away. Mahomet tried to build a religious kingdom by the might of the sword. When Peter would have drawn his sword in the defense of Christ the Master reproved him, saying, "Put up thy sword into the sheath." The Kingdom of God must be won by love not by force. The Church in times past tried to force people and always failed. People must be drawn by love not by force. This is illustrated in Christ's words. "I, if I be lifted up, will draw all people unto me." Where anyone is giving themselves in service Christ is being lifted up.

Mr. Elliot pointed out that if we are to be sincere in praying "Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven," we must let the leven of Christ work in our hearts, and give ourselves in service.

Mr. Elliot continued that he was confident the Kingdom of Christ would come; a time when there would be no suffering, no injustice, no war, but peace and joy everywhere.

## SOCIAL SERVICE COUNCIL ANNIVERSARY DAY

Sunday, October 23rd, has been chosen by the Social Service Council of Alberta as a Thanksgiving Day throughout the Province for the Prohibition victory at the polls on October 25th, 1920.

Every clergyman has been asked to set aside part of either the morning or Evening service for a Temperance Message and a Thank Offering.

## TAX SALE

SALE OF LANDS IN THE VILLAGE OF IRMA FOR ARREARS OF TAXES.

Notice is hereby given that certain lands in the Village of Irma, will be offered for sale for arrears of taxes and costs, in the Village of Irma, on the 6th day of December, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M.

A full list of the said lands may be seen in the Irma Times, dated October 21st, 1921.

Dated at Irma , Alta, this 17th day of October, 1921.

N. M. MATHISON,
Sec'y-Treas.

PLAN NO. 1560W

| Lot | Block | Total Arrears of Taxes | Costs | Total Arrears and Costs |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1- 2 | 5 | $31.50 | $2.00 | $33.50 |
| 5 | 5 | 18.82 | 2.00 | 20.82 |
| 6 - 9 | 5 | 195.60 | 2.00 | 197.60 |
| 37-40 | 5 | 36.46 | 2.00 | 38.46 |
| 5 - 6 | 6 | 24.42 | 2.00 | 26.42 |
| 10-12 | 6 | 60.25 | 2.00 | 62.25 |
| 24-33 | 6 | 48.50 | 2.00 | 50.50 |
| 3 | 7 | 22.12 | 2.00 | 24.12 |
| 5 | 7 | 9.92 | 2.00 | 11.92 |
| 21-22 | 7 | 5.95 | 2.00 | 7.95 |
| 25 | 7 | 6.06 | 2.00 | 8.06 |
| 35-36 | 7 | 10.22 | 2.00 | 12.22 |
| 1 - 2 | 8 | 31.50 | 2.00 | 33.50 |
| 4 - 6 | 8 | 47.79 | 2.00 | 49.79 |
| 9-12 | 8 | 27.90 | 2.00 | 29.90 |
| 25-26 | 8 | 17.77 | 2.00 | 19.77 |
| 27-32 | 8 | 3.28 | 2.00 | 5.28 |
| 35 | 8 | 5.08 | 2.00 | 7.08 |
| 37-38 | 8 | 10.16 | 2.00 | 12.16 |
| 40 | 8 | 10.72 | 2.00 | 12.72 |
| 1. Ac. F No. 50 | | 22.06 | 2.00 | 24.06 |
| 1-44 Ac. Blk. E | | 10.75 | 2.00 | 12.75 |
| 2 Ac. F. No. 55. 62 | | 20.58 | 2.00 | 22.53 |
| 1. Ac. F. No. 51 | | 26.20 | 2.00 | 28.20 |
| 9. 57 Ac. F. No 67 | | 62.20 | 2.00 | 64.20 |
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| All | G. | 42.06 | 2.00 | 44.06 |

Where a parcel contains more than one lot all numbers are inclusive.

Unless the arrears of taxes and Costs are sooner paid, the above parcels will be offered for sale at the time and place above stated.

N. M. MATHISON,
Sec'y-Treas.

## TAX NOTICE.

VILLAGE OF IRMA.

Take Notice that the following lands have been sold by the Village of Irma on account of non-payment of taxes, and the year allowed for redemption will expire on the Sixth day of December, 1921.

6.08 acres in the North East corner of Block E. Plan 1560 W.
Lot 19, Block 8 Plan 1560 W.
Lot 8, Block 8 Plan 1560 W.
Lot 1, Block 6 Plan 1560 W.

If you wish to test the legality of the sale of these lands, you should immediately make application to the Judge of the District Court of the Judicial district within which the land is situated, for an order staying the issue of a certificate of title to the purchaser of such land.

N. M. MATHISON,
1t Treasurer.

## Tax Sale

SALE OF LANDS IN THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF KINSELLA No. 424.

Notice is hereby given that certain lands in the Municipal District of Kinsella No. 424 will be offered for sale for arrears of taxes and costs at 1 P. M., at the School house at Kinsella, on Saturday, October 29th, 1921. A printed list of these lands may be obtained from the Secretary-Treasurer of the Municipality.

Unless arrears of taxes and costs be sooner paid the Treasurer will proceed to sell the lands at the time and place mentioned.

Dated at Kinsella, the 5th day of September, 1921.

24utf BLAKE H. GREEN,
Treasurer.

## Tax Sale

SALE OF LANDS IN THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF BATTLE RIVER No. 423 FOR ARREARS OF TAXES.

Notice is hereby given that certain lands in the Municipal District of Battle River No. 423 will be offered for sale for arrears of taxes and costs in the Village of Irma, on the Third Day of December, 1921, at the hour of Two o'clock, P. M.

A full list of the said lands may be seen in the Irma Times issued on the 16th day of September, 1921.

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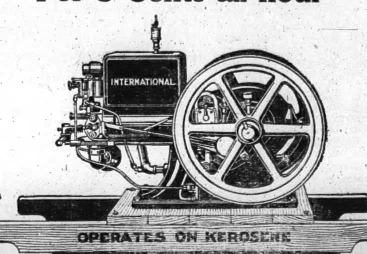


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# Oh, Money! Money!

— BY —
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(Continued)

"Why—er—ah—the letter speaks for itself, Miss Flora," he stammered.

"But it can't be true," reiterated Miss Flora. "The idea of a man I never saw giving me a hundred thousand dollars like that!—and Frank and Jim, too!"

"But he's your cousin—you said he was your cousin," Mr. Smith reminded her. "And you have his picture in your album. You showed it to me."

"I know it. But, my sakes! I didn't know he knew I was his cousin. I don't s'pose he's got my picture in his album! But how did he know about us? It's some other Flora Blaisdell, I tell you."

"There, I never thought of that," cried Jane. "It probably is some other Blaisdells. Well, anyhow, if it is, we won't have to pay that inheritance tax. We can save that much."

"Save! Well, what do we lose?" declared her husband apoplectically.

At this moment the rattling of the front-door knob and an imperative knocking brought Mrs. Jane to her feet.

"There's Hattie, now, and that door's locked," she cried, hurrying into the hall.

When she returned a moment later Harriet Blaisdell and Bessie were with her.

There was about Mrs. Harriet Blaisdell a new, indescribable air of commanding importance. To Mr. Smith she appeared to have grown inches taller.

"Well, I do hope, Jane, now you'll live in a decent place," she was saying, as they entered the room, "and not oblige your friends to climb up over a grocery store."

"Well, I guess you can stand the grocery store a few more days, Hattie," observed Frank Blaisdell dryly. "How long do you s'pose we'd live—any of us—if 't wa'n't for the grocery stores to feed us? Where's Jim?"

"Isn't he here? I told him I was coming here, and to come right over himself at once; that the very first thing we must have was a family conclave, just ourselves, you know, so as to plan what to give out to the public."

"Er—ah—" Mr. Smith was on his feet, looking somewhat embarrassed; "perhaps, then, you would rather I were not present at the—er—family conclave."

"Nonsense!" scouted Frank Blaisdell.

"Why, you are one of the family, 'seems so," cried Mellicent.

"No, indeed, Mr. Smith, don't go," smiled Mrs. Hattie pleasantly. "Besides, you are interested in what concerns us, I know—for the book; so, of course, you'll be interested in this legacy of dear Cousin Stanley's."

Mr. Smith collapsed behind his handkerchief, with one of the choking coughs to which he appeared to be somewhat addicted.

"Ain't you getting a little familiar with 'dear Cousin Stanley,' Hattie?" drawled Frank Blaisdell.

Miss Flora leaned forward earnestly.

"But, Hattie, we were just sayin', 'fore you came, that it couldn't be true; that it must mean some other Blaisdells somewhere."

"Absurd!" scoffed Harriet. "There couldn't be any other Frank and Jim and Flora Blaisdell, in a Hillerton, too. Besides, Jim said over the telephone that that was one of the best law firms in Chicago. Don't you suppose they know what they're talking about? I'm sure, I think it's quite the expected thing that he should leave his money to his own people. Come, don't let's waste any more time over that. What we've got to decided is what to do. First, of course, we must order expensive mourning all around."

"Mourning!" ejaculated an amazed chorus.

"Oh, great Scott!" spluttered Mr. Smith, growing suddenly very red. "I never thought—" He stopped abruptly, his face almost purple.

But nobody was noticing Mr. Smith. Bessie Blaisdell had the floor.

"Why, mother, I look perfectly horrid in black, you know I do," she was wailing. "And there's the Gaylords' dance just next week; and if I'm in mourning I can't go there, nor anywhere. What's the use in having all that money if we've got to shut ourselves up like that, and wear horrid stuffy black, and everything?

"For shame, Bessie!" spoke up Miss Flora, with unusual sharpness for her. "I think your mother is just right. I'm sure the least we can do in return for this wonderful gift is to show our respect and appreciation by going into the very deepest black we can. I'm sure I'd be glad to."

"Wait!" Mrs. Harriet had drawn her brows together in deep thought. "I'm not sure, after all, that it would be best. The letter did not say that dear Cousin Stanley had died—he just hadn't been heard from. In that case, I don't think we ought to do it. And it would be too bad—that Gaylord dance is going to be the biggest thing of the season, and of course if we were in black— No; on the whole, I think we won't, Bessie. Of course, in two year's from now, when we get the rest, it will be different."

"When you—what?" It was a rather startled question from Mr. Smith.

"Oh, didn't you know? There's another letter to be opened in two years from now, disposing of the rest of the property. And he was worth millions, you know, millions!"

"But maybe he—er— Did it say you were to—to get those millions then?"

"Oh, no, it didn't say it, Mr. Smith," Mrs. Harriet Blaisdell's smile was a bit condescending. "But of course we will. We are his kinsmen. He said we were. He just didn't give it all now because he wanted to give himself two more years to come back in, I suppose. You know he's gone exploring. And, of course, if he hadn't come back by then, he would be dead. Then we'd get it all. Oh, yes, we shall get it, I'm sure."

"Oh-h!" Mr. Smith settled back in his chair. He looked somewhat nonpulsed.

"Humph! Well, I wouldn't spend them millions—till I'd got 'em, Hattie," advised her brother-in-law dryly.

"I wasn't intending to, Frank," she retorted with some dignity. "But that's neither here nor there. What we're concerned with now is what to do with what we have got. Even this will make a tremendous sensation in Hillerton. It ought to be written up, of course, for the papers, and by someone who knows. We want it done just right. Why, Frank, do you realize? We shall be rich—rich—and all in a flash like this! I wonder what the Pennocks will say now about Mellicent's not having money enough for that precious son of theirs! Oh, I can hardly believe it yet. And it'll mean—everything to us. Think what we can do for the children. Think—"

"Aunt Jane, Aunt Jane, is ma here?" Wide open banged the front door as Benny bounded down the hall. "Oh, here, you are! Say, is it true? Tommy Hooker says our great-grandfather in Africa has died an' left us a million dollars, an' that we're richer 'n Mr. Pennock or even the Gaylords, or anybody! Is it true? Is it?"

His mother laughed indulgently.

"Not quite, Benny, though we have been left a nice little fortune by your cousin, Stanley G. Fulton—remember the name, dear, your cousin, Stanley G. Fulton. And it wasn't Africa, it was South America."

"And did you all get some, too?" panted Benny, looking eagerly about him.

"We sure did," nodded his Uncle Frank, "all but poor Mr. Smith here. I guess Mr. Stanley G. Fulton didn't know he was a cousin, too," he joked, with a wink in Mr. Smith's direction.

"But where's Aunt Maggie? Why ain't she here? She got some, too, didn't she?" Benny began to look anxious.

His mother lifted her eyebrows.

"No. You forget, my dear. Your Aunt Maggie is not a Blaisdell at all. She's a Duff—a very different family.

"I don't care, she's just as good as a Blaisdell," cut in Mellicent; "and she seems like one of us, anyway."

"And she didn't get anything?" bemoaned Benny. "Say," he turned valiantly to Mr. Smith, "shouldn't you think he might have given Aunt Maggie a little of that money?"

"I should, indeed!" Mr. Smith spoke with peculiar emphasis.

"I guess he would if he'd known her!"

"I'm sure he would!" Once more the peculiar earnestness vibrated through Mr. Smith's voice.

"But now he's dead, an' he can't. I guess if he could see Aunt Maggie he'd wish he hadn't died 'fore he could fix her up just as good as the rest."

"I'm very sure he would!" Mr. Smith was laughing now, but his voice was just as emphatic, and there was a sudden flame of color in his face.

"Your Cousin Stanley isn't dear, my dear—that is, we are not sure he is dead," spoke up Benny's mother quickly. "He just has not been heard from for six months."

"But he must be dead, or he'd have come back," reasoned Miss Flora, with worried eyes. "and I, for my part, think we ought to go into mourning, too."

"Of course he'd have come back," declared Mrs. Jane, "and kept the money himself. Don't you suppose he knew what he'd written in that letter, and don't you suppose he'd have saved those three hundred thousand dollars if he could? Well, I guess he would! The man is dead. That's certain enough."

"Well, anyhow, we're not going into mourning till we have to." Mrs. Harriet's lips snapped together with firm decision.

"Of course not. I'm sure I don't see any use in having the money if we've got to wear black and not go anywhere," poutted Bessie.

"Are we rich, then, really, ma?" demanded Benny.

"We certainly are, Benny."

"Richer 'n the Pennocks?"

"Very much."

"An' the Gaylords?"

"Well—hardly that"—her face clouded clouded perceptibly—"that is, not until we get the rest—in two years." She brightened again.

"Then, if we're rich we can have everything we want, can't we?" Benny's eyes were beginning to sparkle.

"Well—" hesitated his mother.

"I guess there'll be enough to satisfy your wants, Benny," laughed his Uncle Frank.

Benny gave a whoop of delight.

"Then we can go back to the East Side and live just as we've a mind to, without carin' what other folks do, can't we?" he crowed. "'Cause if we are rich we won't have ter keep tryin' ter make folks think we are. They'll know it without our tryin'."

"Benny!" The rest were laughing; but Benny's mother had raised shocked hands of protest. "You are incorrigible, child. The East Side, indeed! We shall live in a house of our own now, of course—but it won't be on the East Side."

"And Fred'll go to college," put in Miss Flora eagerly.

"Yes; and I shall send Bessie to a fashionable finishing school," bowed Mrs. Harriet, with a shade of importance.

"Hey, Bess, you've got ter be finished," chuckled Benny.

"What's Mell going to do?" pouted Bessie, looking not altogether pleased. "Hasn't she got to be finished—yet," observed Mrs. Jane tersely.

"Oh, I don't know what I'm going to do," breathed Mellicent, drawing an ecstatic sigh. "But I hope I'm going to do—just what I want to, for once!"

"And I'll make you some pretty dresses that you can wear right off, while they're in style," beamed Miss Flora.

Frank Blaisdell gave a sudden laugh.

"But what are you going to do, Flo? Here you've been telling what everybody else is going to do with the money."

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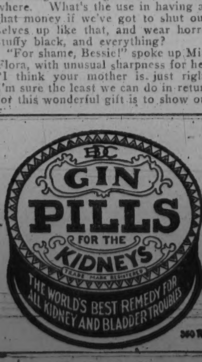


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## Market In Cuba For Canadian Goods

**Exporters Who Get a Foothold Can Develop Trade.**

According to information given by H. A. Chisholm, Canadian Trade Commissioner, there is a virgin market in Cuba, Mexico, the British West Indies and the Latin-American countries for Canadian manufacture to develop, especially as regards brushes, boots, textiles, road-building equipment, cheap and medium-priced autos and trucks, foodstuffs, canned goods and fish.

Mr. Chisholm lays stress on the possibilities of the British West Indies where the British preferential tariff is in force, easily becoming the jumping-off place for Canadian manufacturers to develop their trade export with the Britain-American countries. He impressed the fact that any exporter who succeeded in getting a foothold in the markets of the British West Indies, would be almost sure to develop connections with especially Colombo, Costa Rica, Panama, Central America, and even Mexico.

**Banana Tree Is Curiosity.**

The banana is one of the curiosities of the vegetable kingdom, being not a tree, a palm, an herb, a bush, a shrub or a vegetable, but a herbacious plant with the stature of a tree. Although it sometimes attains a height of thirty feet, there is no woody fibre in any part of its structure, and the bunches growing on the dwarf banana plant are often heavier than the stalk which supports them.

**CHANGE OF WATER**
**WAS THE CAUSE OF**
**DIARRHOEA**

People moving from place to place are very much subject to diarrhoea on account of the change of water, climate, diet, etc. Prompt treatment with

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**WILD STRAWBERRY**

in such cases relieves the pain, checks the diarrhoea, and thus does away with the suffering, the weakness and often-times collapse associated with an attack of this kind. It does this by checking the too frequent and irritating stools, settling the stomach and bracing up the weakened system, thus rendering it without a peer for the treatment of all bowel complaints of both old and young.

Mrs. Ernest S. Beaton, Grayburn, Sask., writes:—"Coming out here from the East, my two little girls took very sick, the change of water, etc., giving them diarrhoea. They were so pale, and used to vomit everything they would take, so I finally got a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, and I must say it certainly helped them. I have also used it when my children were teething and it is all you claim for it."

76 years reputation stands behind this remedy. Price, 50c a bottle. Put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

## Armistice Day Memorial Badge

**Great War Veterans to Inaugurate Wearing of Poppies.**

The memory of those who made the supreme sacrifice in the great war will be reverenced in Canada this year by the wearing of a red poppy Armistice Day, according to plans formulater by the Dominion Command, Great War Veterans' Association.

Inauguration of this custom, war veterans believe, will accomplish worthy objects. As the poppies will be sold for nominal sums, it will supply a means of providing relief funds for the unemployed this winter. As the poppies will be purchased from the French war orphans, it helps relieve distress in that country.

The custom of wearing the red poppy Armistice Day was initiated in the United States last year by Madame E. Guerin, of the French Children's League. Madame Guerin laid the proposal before a meeting of the executives of the Great War Veterans' Association, held in Port Arthur. On their recommendation the local branches of the association throughout Canada are undertaking to act as distributing centres.

The G.W.V.A. also is enlisting the support of the churches, boards of trade and other organizations in the campaign.

## Sockeye Salmon Catch Is Dwindling

**B.C. Fishery In Danger of Becoming Commercially Exhausted.**

The sockeye salmon catch in the Fraser River and Puget Sound for 1920 amounted to a total of 107,252 cases, as against 2,357,695 cases in 1913. The annual report of the Dominion Fisheries Branch says that unless drastic action is taken internationally to save the situation, the fishery will become commercially exhausted in a few years. The value of the catch in 1913 was $30,000,000, and the opinion is emphatically expressed in the report that if proper measures are taken for seeding the spawning beds, this catch should be equalled every year.

Other "big years" for salmon were 1905, when the catch amounted to 1,662,942 cases; and 1919, when it was 1,640,152 cases. The lowest point reached was in 1918, when the total was 67,572.

## Paper For Russian Peasants

**Issued at Petrograd In Interests of Famine Stricken.**

The Petrograd compositors are bringing out a special paper, entitled "For the Volga Peasant." Each copy costs 1,000 roubles, and the proceeds are to be devoted to the relief of the victims of the famine. General Brusiloff has contributed to the first number an article on the famine crisis. The article is, of course, of a decorative character, the General's opinions on the famine being of no greater value than anyone else, but famous Russian soldiers are so rarely seen in print that a quotation may not be without interest. General Brusiloff writes:

"War and famine are considered to be the worst enemies of humanity. I hold, however, that famine is a far worse evil than war. The latter destroys the young generation, whereas famine mows down all. The war, which has been going on for seven years under different form, has not been able to destroy Russia. Our Soviet State and all its federative republics still exist unchallenged. The famine, on the other hand, brings us face to face with destruction. In view of the vast extent of the catastrophe, it is no longer a question of the death of a large number of people with acute suffering, but of the extinction of the nation. The whole people will be placed before a hopeless situation. The plight of the starving not only brings about the complete ruin of the peasant class, but creates the prospect of a worse famine next year."

**Woman Railroad President.**

California's claim to having the only woman railroad president in America is vigorously disputed by the State of Georgia, which rises to remark that it has the only real and truly woman railroad president in the person of Mrs. Cora B. Williams, Florida and Alabama Railway, a road about 200 miles in length.

**The Richest Village.**

Shaw, the Lancashire mill village which invested so much money in War Loan that it was hailed as the richest township in England during the war, has saved £3 11s. 5d. per head of the population for this year's holidays. Last year £4 13s. per head was saved—a record. One club alone, the Co-operative Society, has distributed £20,000.

**Regina Man Thinks He Would Be Selfish Not To Relate Experience**

"When a man has been benefited by a medicine like I have been by Tanlac I think it would be selfish of him not to come out and tell what he knows," said Aleck G. Munro, 1261 McTavish street, Regina, Sask.

"I haven't words to describe what I went through with on account of indigestion. No matter how careful I was about what I ate or how little I ate, I was sure to be bloated up with gas afterwards. Sometimes my breath would be cut off so I could scarcely breathe. I actually got to the point where I dreaded to go to the table, and I shudder now when I think of how I suffered.

"I feel like a new man now, though, thanks to Tanlac. Actually this medicine has done me more good than I ever dreamed was possible. I never have any trouble from indigestion now, although I have a splendid appetite. I sleep all night long without waking once, and get up in the morning feeling fine and I work better than I have in years. I certainly advise people who suffer as I did to take Tanlac. I am confident it will help them."

Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.

## The Empire's Growth

**Poison of Bolshevism Has Not Hindered Britain's Advance.**

Great Britain could not have obtained victory without the Dominions; and now that astonishing organism, the Empire—which has grown almost as hazard to its majestic strength manifests an integrity and vitality beyond the challenge of enmity or the spite of fate. But one imminent peril remains, the peril not of external attack, but of internal disease. Since war ceased we have passed through a crisis even greater than that of the war itself. The poison of Bolshevism has spread deep, if we may believe that its influence has begun to decline. "The eternal economic truth that men cannot reap where they have not sown" is beginning to prevail in minds which had been half persuaded that the distribution of wealth was all that mattered; and that the production of wealh would take care of itself. If this country has not been reduced to the condition of Russia today, it is not the fault of the disciples of Lenine and Trotsky.—From the London Morning Post.

**Think It Over.**

Golfer.—"I suppose you've been round the links with worse players than me, eh?"

No answer.

Golfer (slighting louder).—"I suppose you've been round the links with worse players than me, eh?"

Caddie.—"I heard verra well what ye said the furst time. I'm thinking about it."—Spare Moments.

The women of Java are being taught western theories of equality with men. The progress of the suffrage movement is necessarily slow, but many believe in its ultimate success.

The Barbary horse, ancestor of thoroughbreds, is said to have been derived from the zebra of North Africa.

## A Builder Of Homes

**Wealthy New York Man Has Good Hobby.**

Although entering his 72nd year with enough money to retire and take up golf, Frank D. Johnson, of Brooklyn, continues to erect houses all by himself and sell them.

For the last 50 years he has worked 10 to 12 hours a day at this pursuit and now is putting up a one-man house on Gravesend Avenue. No hands but his own have touched the structure since he started it.

Last July, while he was working on the house, it was struck by lightning. Digging himself out of the debris, Johnson rubbed some arnica on to his bruises and was back on the job the next day.

Johnson expects to live to 100. He has all but two of his original teeth and scarcely a hair has fallen from his head.

"I could have knocked off and taken it easy, but if I had done so I would now be reposing in some graveyard," was the way Johnson put it.

Besides being a stonemason, bricklayer, carpenter, plasterer, plumber, tinsmith, painter, paperhanger, decorator, glazier, electrician, wood carver and cabinetmaker, Johnson studied all the ins and outs of laws governing real estate, so as to save all title searching and allied fees.

By a simple rule the length of the day and night, any time of the year, may be ascertained by simply doubling the time of the sun's rising, which will give the length of the night, and double the time of setting will give the length of the day.

"How's business?" asked the customer.

"Very bad," replied the clerk.

"But you don't seem to be worrying?"

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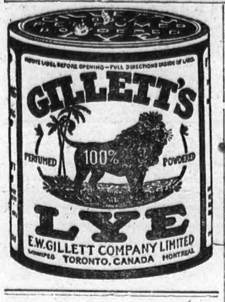


# World Happenings Briefly Told

Canton has to go without its morning, noon and evening teas. The teahouse waiters are on strike.

The Lord Provost of Glasgow has re-opened the fund for the purpose of paying rents of the deserving unemployed.

The Shanghai Day and Night Bank has been organized on the plan of remaining open for business until midnight.

An Avro airplane in good condition was sold in Uitenhage, S.A., on a court order, for $145, the highest bid offered by a Port Elizabeth firm.

America has seven special "chapel railway coaches," each provides a home for the minister and his family, and has seating accommodations for 90 persons.

A large twin flight airplane shed, which is said to have cost more than $150,000, has been sold at auction in London for $525.

Rumors that King Christian of Denmark is shortly to pay an official visit to the United States are unfounded.

Teaching in England and Wales has become more popular since the end of the war. The Board of Education reports 600 more teachers enrolled this year than last.

Thomas Sullivan, arrested for breaking into the store of the British and Foreign Bible Society, Cape Town, and stealing a Bible, was sentenced to three months imprisonment.

Lady Patricia Ramsay, formerly Princess Patricia, has just received through Col. Hamilton Gault, a bronze statuette representing a man of Princess Patricia's Light Infantry in full fighting kit.

The staff committee of the League of Nations has adopted the proposal of Sir George Perley that the staff should be recruited, with fair proportion, from all the countries that are members of the league.

The Workers Dreadnought, Sylvia Pankhurst's paper, is not going to stop publication, as previously announced. Miss Pankhurst has stated that she will continue the paper as she has been successful in raising the £500 necessary to carry on with.

Reuter's correspondent in Bombay say that the news of the arrest of prominent agitators in Bombay and Simla was received quietly throughout India. There were a few slight disturbances in Bombay, but these were confined to the smashing of tram windows.

## World's Finest Diamond

**Was Given to King Edward by Transvaal Government.**

The largest diamond in the world is the Cullinan diamond, given to King Edward by the Transvaal Government in 1907. The stone was presented to King Edward in token of the loyalty and appreciation of the people of the Transvaal for the bestowal of the constitution on the colony. It was unearthed at the Jaegersfontein mine, Orange River Colony, South Africa, in 1905. In its rough state it weighed 3,025 carats, or 1 1-3 pounds. Amsterdam diamond cutters made nine large stones and several smaller ones from it. The largest still weighs 516 1-2 carats and is said to be the most valuable and brilliant diamond in human possession today.

## RHEUMATISM!

### Is Yours Acute or Chronic?

In either case you'll get such results from good old "Nerviline" which has five times the pain destroying power of ordinary remedies. Nerviline gives results because it penetrates to the source of the pain, because it contains ingredients that destroy rheumatic pains. It is the unusually bad case that proves the power of Nerviline. Suited for young and old; used internally and externally for many purposes, 35c at all dealers.

## Choosing Future Queen

**Prince of Wales Will Not Be Forced Into Matrimony.**

The public never tires of providing the Prince of Wales with wives; it is a favorite amusement not only with women but with men. I was told in confidence who the embryo Princess really is the other day. I shall not betray the confidence, but may say it is a girl whose engagement to quite another young man will soon be announced. Yet I was assured the information came from a member of His Royal Highness's household direct to my informant. So much for social tips, which are about as reliable as racing tips. The Prince is not going to be either hurried or coerced into matrimony. When the announcement of his engagement is made it will be sudden and surprising—we may be sure of that —and it will not please everybody!—Belfast Weekly News.

One of the best known guides in Nova Scotia gives this testimonial of MINARD'S LINIMENT:

Have used Minard's Liniment in my home, hunting and lumber camps for years, and consider it the best white liniment on the market. I find that it gives quick relief to minor ailments, such as sprains, bruises and all kinds of wounds. Also it is a great remedy for coughs, colds, etc., which one is liable to catch when log driving and cruising during the winter and spring months. I would not be without MINARD'S LINIMENT and cannot recommend it too highly.

(Signed) Ellison Gray.

A Chicago woman destroyed her husband's clothes in a fit of passion. He complained of her; she was arrested and fined, and he had to pay the fine.

The half-moon fish, which is found in the upper waters of the Amazon, casts a phosphorescent glow resembling moonlight.

## New "Court Of Miracles"

**House Described by Victor Hugo Discovered in Paris.**

A new "Court of Miracles," so vividly described by Victor Hugo in "Notre Dame," has been discovered in Paris.

Every night scores of beggars—blind men, lame men, deaf men, dumb men, paralyzed men—came to the house of the "King of Egypt," himself a "blind man" by profession, behind the town hall and in true beggars' style spent their "earnings" in revelry all night long.

Neighbors complained, and one night recently the police descended on the "Court of Miracles" with an ejectment order, but the beggars set up house again in the open air on a piece of waste ground and the revelry began afresh.

The joyous spectacle increased in intensity. The blind saw and the deaf heard, armless men took out musical instruments and played, while crippled, palsied people merrily fox-trotted in the ruddy glare of the camp fire.

The police interrupted the fete, but just as in the days of yore they were met by a stubborn resistance and attacked with crutches and imitation legs and arms. They were routed.

Next morning they returned to the charge, but all the beggars had returned to their "employments" except the "King and Queen of Egypt."

## A MOTHER'S ADVICE

Once a mother has used Baby's Own Tablets for her little ones she is always happy to recommend them to others. Her advice, given after a careful trial, can be readily followed with assured good results. The Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which never fail to regulate the bowels and sweeten the stomach. They always do good—they cannot possibly do harm even to the youngest babe. Concerning them Mrs. P. Laforest, St. Nazaire, Que., writes:—"For three months my baby was constipated and cried continually. On the advice of a friend I gave him Baby's Own Tablets and now at the age of five months he is perfectly well and weighs twenty pounds. I am delighted to be able to advise other mothers to use them." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

**First Baby Travels to Paris.**

Among the passengers on the Croydon-Paris aeroplane was a baby girl just 5 1-2 months old, who was going to France with her parents. This is the first baby in arms to travel by the Continental airway. Frieda Inglin, as she is called, lay quite contentedly in her mother's arms, and did not appear to be in the least frightened by the roar of the giant engines.

**Isn't She Mean?**

She (during the quarrel).—You never deserved a wife like me!

He.—And I never deserved the rheumatism, but I got it just the same.

Complete in itself, Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator does not require the assistance of any other medicine to make it effective. It does not fail to do its work.

## A Growing Union

**Movement In Progress to Extend Union of South Africa.**

The Union of South Africa, over which General Smuts presides, contains four provinces, but is only a third larger than British Columbia, or two-thirds the area of Quebec. The movement now in progress for the annexation of the colony of Rhodesia, at present administered by the British South Africa Company, would nearly double the area of the Union by adding 450,000 square miles to the 473,000 now administered by the Union Government. It would add 1,500,000 to the native population, with some 40,000 Europeans.

The Government of Mr. Smuts is also administering the former German protectorate of West Africa, an estate of 320,000 square miles, with a small European population and several hundred thousand natives. The number of the natives was greatly reduced, and some races nearly exterminated during the German occupation. General Smuts is thus likely to have under his jurisdiction 1,200,000 equare miles of territory, with a 000 square miles of territory, with a total population not much less than that of Canada.—The Daily Province.

**Outclassed.**

Mother.—These little playmates of yours look rather common, Bobbie. I hope none of them swear.

Bobbie.—Oh, some of 'em try to, mother, but they ain't much good at it.—Life.

Ginizef, a merchant of Kiachta, has the reputation of being the greatest bear hunter in Siberia. He is 65 years old and recently killed his seventy-seventh bear.

## For Hair And Skin Health Cuticura Is Supreme

The majority of skin and scalp troubles might be prevented by using Cuticura Soap exclusively for all toilet purposes. On the slightest sign of redness, roughness, pimples or dandruff, apply a little Cuticura Ointment. Cuticura Talcum soothes and cools the skin and overcomes heavy perspiration. Delicate, delightful, distingué. Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c. Sold throughout the Dominion. Canadian Depot: Lymans, Limited, 344 St. Paul St., W., Montreal. Cuticura Soap shaves without mug.

## German Merchant Sold Poisoned Hat

**Leather Band Contained Quantity of Sulphuric Acid.**

The last form of German "frightfulness" is in the form of a poisoned hat, which produces severe pains in the head. It must be recorded, however, in fairness to Fritz, that the inconvenience suffered by the wearers of such headgear is the result of chemical action, and forms no part of a deliberate scheme to inflict torture, on the public.

A hatter at Bonn has just been sued for selling a customer a poisoned hat. After wearing the hat a short time the man felt his forehead throbbing and shooting pains in the head. Not being accustomed to such maladies, he had his hat examined and found that the band was made of artificial leather, which contained a sufficient quantity of sulphuric acid to account for his pains.

The Court awarded the buyer damages and told the hatter that it was his business to discover whether his goods were injurious to customers before selling them.

**Attacked by Asthma.** The first fearful sensation is of suffocation, which hour by hour becomes more desperate and hopeless. To such a case, the relief afforded by Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma remedy is very grateful. Its help is quickly apparent and soon the dreadful attack is mastered. The asthmatic who has found out the dependability of this sterling remedy will never be without it. It is sold everywhere.

**Error In Report.**

A discrepancy of 100,000,000 bushels in the crop yield estimate of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics is revealed by officials of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company. Quoting the estimated wheat yield for the Dominion this year as 294,000,000 bushels, the Dominion Bureau's report says that the total may be greater than the aggregate in 1915, which, by the Bureau's own figures was 393,000,000 bushels.

## Catarrh

Catarrh is a local disease greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is a Tonic, taken internally, and acts through the blood upon the mucous surfaces of the system. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE assists Nature in restoring normal conditions.

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## Canadian Wool Has Good Reputation

**High Quality Appreciated by States and Overseas Markets.**

A virtual revolution has been wrought in the wool industry of Canada in the past few years. Whereas but a short while ago the wool produced in Canada was offered for sale in such an unsatisfactory state that the Canadian manufacturer looked with indifference upon the home-grown product, tody he realizes that Canadian wool compares favorably with that of any other country and more than half of the domestic production finds its way to Canadian mills. Not only is the high quality of the Canadian product appreciated locally now but in the United States and the overseas markets it is now generally recognized that Canadian sheepmen are producing wool the equal of similar classes and grades grown elsewhere in the world. Gradually but surely a reputation has been built up for Canadian fleece wools on the domestic and foreign markets.

The patriotic man is loyal to his country and to the community in which he lives. If he is consistent he will give first preference to Canadian made goods when making purchases. He will also stand loyally by his local dealer.

**Minard's Liniment used by Physicians**



## Gingham and Cretonne United

By Marie Belmont.

This youthful frock shows the effective use of cretonne as a trimming. It is fashioned on very simple lines that affect the much-liked chemise dress. The frock is made of orchid-colored gingham, although should you wish you might copy it in any other color that may be more becoming to yourself. It is fastened down the back with self-covered buttons. The deep border and flat collar are cut from cretonne which has a lavender and green grape design. The three-quarter sleeve is finished with a flaring cuff of the cretonne. A girdle of bright green ribbon encircles the waistline.

## Made Long Journey Without Food

**Penguins Are Able to Fast For Many Weeks.**

Fourteen blackfooted penguins have just come 6,000 miles to the London Zoological Gardens without a bite to eat. Even now they are not in a hurry to restart the meal habit, says the Daily Mail.

There is an extraordinary variation between the fasting capacity of birds. Some starve if they have to go through an 18 hours night, while the penguin's limit has not been ascertained, though they go for many weeks without signs of distress beyond a certain slimness. Seals also share his power of going without food. A few weeks between meals does not seem to worry them, though they make perfect pigs of themselves when they like.

Remember Augustus, the sea-lion, who got at the Zoo main supply of fish and devoured the whole consignment. Then, four hours later, when the authorities had scraped together a few hundredweight for the remainder of the fish-eaters, Augustus took his place in the "bread-line" without a blush.

**He'd Die First.**

Mr. Giggan.—Poor Bill was sentenced for life.

Mrs. Giggin.—Sentenced for life? A delicate feller like him? Well that's a joke on the judge, 'cause he's too sick to ever serve a life sentence.

## Wretchedness of Constipation

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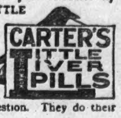


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## Boxing Tournament Held at Holden

The boxing tournament held in the Johnson Garage at Holden last Saturday evening was attended by over 500 people. Great interest had been aroused in the main bout between two heavyweight boxers, Jim Gorman, of Drumheller, and N. F. Conhiser, of Bruce which was billed to go fifteen rounds. Both men had trained hard and pronounced themselves in the pink of condition. At ten o'clock the principals arrived in the ring and took their corners accompanied by their seconds, after which Referee Vic Holbrook called them to the centre of the ring for instructions. The bell rang and they were off. Conhiser started off in whirlwind style and had Gorman on the defensive, covering up and trying to dodge the rain of blows. Gorman came back strong and towards the end of the round floored Conhiser with a left to the jaw and a right to the body. Conhiser instead of taking the count of nine grabbed the ropes and got up on his feet and took a lot of needless punishment. He went down again and took the count of six when the bell rang ending the round. His seconds revived him considerably in the interval and he again rushed Gorman to the ropes. Gorman got away and the men were in the act of sparring away when the bout was stopped. The fans have been wondering ever since if Conhiser could have come back strong enough to have continued the bout.

A five round exhibition between A. Pruden, of Tofield, and Tun, of Viking, was pronounced a draw, both boys being versed in the art of self-defence came out of the go without a scratch.

The battle royal between four Holden young men in the ring at once was a rather listless and tame affair.

Tommy Black and Johnny Brown, two Holden youngsters, mixed it for three rounds for the championship of Holden created considerable amusement. Black was given the championship honors.

The middleweight scrap between Legge, of Bruce, andJackman, of Ryley, was called off.


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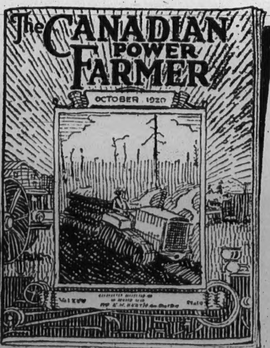


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## KINSELLA

Phillip Bowkett, cream buyer for P. Burn's & Co. is moving to the Kinsella garage, where he will carry on the business of the company during the winter months.

Bruce Barber is improving his lot back of the livery barn by leveling it down. We understand he is putting in a set of scales and will sell coal.

Wm. Mann, manager of the Royal Bank here, was a business visitor to Calgary last week.

A cow belonging to James Morrison was run over by a train recently and killed just east of town. Mr. Morrison had been shipping some calves and the cow was staying round the stock yards mourning the calves.

Several carloads of cattle has been shipped from Kinsella recently. P. J. Wangsness and J. L. Loftus loaded three cars. F. Pendleton shipped one car and the local cattle buyer, Mr. Marshall, also shipped several cars lately, and Mr. Cooper of Phillips shipped some. Everyone is reporting prices very poor.

Mrs. Herman spent a couple of weeks visiting friends at Wainwright recently.

Some talk is going around about having a Delco Light plant installed at Kinsella. This would be quite an improvement. George Lee is considering installing the plant.

Two inspectors of the Royal bank was inspecting that bank here Saturday and Monday.

It is understood that George Martin, of south of town, is coming in to open the old garage for business at Kinsella again. We wish him success

Roy Ervin is back to town after putting in a busy summer cooking for the government road gang, east of town H. Austin left for Edmonton last night to take treatment for what is claimed to be cancer on his lower lip.

A Hallowe'en pie social and dance is to take place at the Metropolitan school house on Monday, October 31st A big time is expected.

Stewart Empey who has been buying cream for the Woodland Dairy at this point during the summer, has left for his farm at Viking. Mr. Empey was unsuccessful in getting his license, also J. H. Smith. We are sorry to see Mr. Empey leaving town, and believe he was not treated right, in not being able to get his license. He proved to be a real gentleman while here.

V. Wilson had the misfortune of having his foot caught in the feeder of his threshing machine while out threshing last week. He was taken to Kinsella to Mr. Smith's residence and it was found necessary to take off his big toe it being smashed up so badly it was impossible to heal it. Dr. B. C. Archibald was in attendance.

Hugh Baird, of Kinsella Sand Pit, who has been laid up with his face infected with ring worm, is now about well again, after taking a number of treatments at Edmonton.

Miss Younger: "What, in your opinion, is the best time for a girl to marry?" Miss Elder: "When the man is willing!"

## HOYT WADE WRITES FROM GREAT FALLS

One of the baseball boys at Killam has received a letter from Hoyt Wade who played ball with the Killam team during the past season under the name of Dan Stanley. Wade claims that he has freed himself from the charge preferred against him, that he took the name "Dan Stanley" to help a friend out of trouble, by so doing, but that there is now nothing to it, and that he expects to be back again to Killam next year, when he will again make good.

## IRMA MARKET

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| **Wheat** | |
| No. 1 | .78 |
| No 2 | .72 |
| No 3 | .70 |
| **Oats** | |
| 2 CW | .20 |
| Extra Feed | .17 |
| 1 Feed | .14 |
| **Barley** | |
| No 3 | .28 |
| No 4 | .23 |
| No 5 | .16 |
| **Flax** | |
| No 1 | 1.35 |
| No 2 | 1.31 |
| **Rye** | |
| No 2 | .55 |
| **Stock** | |
| Hogs | 9c |
| **Produce** | |
| Butter | 35c |
| Eggs | 30c |
| Sugar | 20- 2.40 |
| Flour | 5.90 |

## *More or Less Funny*

Heard in the recitation class at the schoolhouse: Teacher: "Johnny, what causes heat and cold?" Johnny: "The janitor."

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A clergyman says there are four ways to escape an unhappy marriage without divorce. The way leads north, south, east and west.

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A poet says that women's love is so deep that it is unfathomable. And she is best satisfied with a man whose pocketbook is the same way.

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Heard on the schoolhouse steps: She: "Did you ever try to kiss a girl when she wasn't looking?" He: "Not when she wasn't good looking."

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This town has one four-year-old financier. His mother told him some time ago that she would give him a penny for every dozen pins he would pick up from the floor around the house. Recently he began turning in a large number of pins every day and his mother, surprised at the increased number, asked it how it happened that he was finding so many. "Oh, I saved up my pennies until I got a dime," he said, "and then I bought a paper of pins to scatter around."

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A careful observer reports that the girls in the towns in this section have various ways of trying to catch a fellow. He says the girls at Irma try the romantic method of clasping their hands and looking very solemn and serious while they talk of the beautiful things of nature; the girls at Wainwright try the cute baby stuff of rolling their eyes up so innocently; the girls at Bruce try the jollying stuff of laughter and good fellowship, and the girls at Holden try to tell of the duties of life and get around to wash the dishes at home whenever their fellow calls, to make him think they love housework. "Well, but what about the Viking girls?" he was asked. "The Viking girls," he replied, "oh, they don't bother with any such stuff. They sandbag 'em."

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### THE OPTIMIST

Tune— "Turkey in the Straw."

Oh, his horse went dead and his mule went lame,
And he lost his crop afeedin' game;
Then a hurricane came along one day
And blew the house where he lived away.
An earthquake came along when that was gone,
And swallowed up the land that the house stood on;
The Tax collector then came around
And charged him up with a hole in the ground.

Chorus

Hole in the ground—Te he-he!
Was he discouraged? No Siree!
He joined the U. F. A. and the spell went down,
And now he's the mascot of the townships around.

Oh, the weather's getting colder and the hens won't lay;
Barleys 'way down and wheat don't pay;
Hogs no better, steers too cheap;
Cows quit milking and meat won't keep.
Oats all heated, spuds all froze;
Fruit crop busted, wind still blows.
Sheep seem puny, and I'll be darned
The rye field flooded and the hay stack burned.

Chorus

Hay stack burned, Te he-he!
Was he discouraged? No siree!
He jumped right in and pulled with the bunch;
And now he's glad that he got the hunch.

Yes, the farmer must, if he would succeed,
Join with the others in this time of need,
To work out a plan of 'work and grin'
In this game of life so we all can win
A place in the sun with all white folks,
Where honest toil wins him more than jokes.
Let's stand together in a steadfast way
And fight it out through the U. F. A.

Chorus

Hole in the ground? No siree!
Not yet, neighbor! Not for me
So come along with me I say,
To the next regular meeting of the U. F. A.


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